

SENATE RESOLUTION 2

By Niceley

A RESOLUTION to recognize and commend Cheri Bonnell for her participation in the Youth Leadership Summit.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to excellence, have distinguished themselves as leaders in the classroom and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Cheri Bonnell of Bean Station is one such exceptional student who was selected to participate in the Youth Leadership Summit sponsored by Appalachian Electric Cooperative and the Tennessee Electric Cooperative Association; and

WHEREAS, the Youth Leadership Summit is an annual, three-day event held in Nashville that seeks to further develop leadership skills in the junior students who are selected to participate; this is accomplished through team-building and leadership exercises as well as experiential learning on Capitol Hill; and

WHEREAS, in addition to touring the State Capitol, Youth Leadership Summit students participate in a mock voting session featuring issues that they themselves bring to the floor, and they have the opportunity to meet representatives and senators as well as sit in on a committee meeting; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bonnell's selection for the Youth Leadership Summit is a testament to her innate abilities as a leader among her peers; and

WHEREAS, Cheri Bonnell is now in her senior year at Grainger High School, where she maintains an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Bonnell's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her family, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Cheri Bonnell's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of our respect, admiration, and commendation; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we recognize and commend Cheri Bonnell for her participation in the Youth Leadership Summit sponsored by Appalachian Electric Cooperative and the Tennessee Electric Cooperative Association and extend our best wishes for continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.